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SUBJECT: NSC Briefing (398th), Thursday, 26 March 1959

1. The following items were prepared:

- a. [REDACTED]
- b. [REDACTED]
- c. [REDACTED]
- d. [REDACTED]
- e. Cuba
- f. [REDACTED]

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2. [REDACTED]

3. [REDACTED]

The Director next dealt with Cuba and followed his briefing notes carefully. Considerable discussion was generated, particularly in the light of Castro's forthcoming trip to the U.S. to address a convention of newspaper editors in Washington on 17 April. A major question, particularly in the light of Castro's anti-U.S. attitude, was the posture to be taken by the U.S.

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4. The briefing took a full half hour.

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